

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.
LEADING RELIABLE JEWELERS.

WE HAVE THE
Celebrated Seth Thomas
Clocks,
which we fully Warrant.

It is well to remember that it is an exception when a Seth Thomas clock has to be carried back to the jeweler under several years, while ALL OTHERS bother the buyer as well as those who sell them. We have all kinds, but we would rather sell you a SETH THOMAS, because you will be better pleased with it.

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Order Your Bread
PIES AND CAKES,
BREWER.
Special attention paid to fine ORNAMENTED WEDDING CAKES.
BREWER, the BAKER,
211 North Main-St., Decatur, Ill.
Jan. 17, 1881. d&wt

BEANS! BEANS!!
GUESS! GUESS!!

We today place on exhibition at our shop a glass globe filled with beans, and let the customers make the best guess at the number of beans in said globe and offer the following prizes:

BEST GUESS.
1 No. 38 Champion Monitor Cooking Stove.
SECOND BEST GUESS.
1 No. 18 Family Garland Cook Stove.
THIRD BEST GUESS.
1 Novelty Clocks Wringor.
FOURTH BEST GUESS.
1 Ladies' Friend Carpet Sweeper.

Customers are entitled to one guess for each dollar's worth of goods purchased and paid for between April 1st and December 31st, 1881. The main committee that made the globe will award the prizes; we have nothing to do with the counting. Send the certificate of the committee.

We, the undersigned, have deposited a quantity of beans in a glass globe, an exhibition of the hardware store of Ferguson & Dillehunt, this city, have secretly counted the globe, and have no knowledge of the number of beans contained therein.

D. N. SHELLABARGER, of D. S. Shellabarger & Co., Millers.
J. F. FERGUSON, of FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT, Boots and Shoes.
F. L. HAYS, of F. L. Hays & Co., Dry Goods.
Decatur, Ill., April 1, 1881.

Read the above advertisement to trade with us, we offer you good goods at bottom prices, and a full appreciation of your custom. We have largely increased our stock of General Hardware, and have the largest assortment of goods in the country. Give us a call.

FERGUSON & DILLEHUNT,
126 North Water Street.
April 1, 1881. d&wt

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
143 EAST MAIN STREET.

Recent Large and Judicious Purchases of DRY GOODS and MILLINERY, at lower prices than ever before known, enables us to offer Wonderful and Unprecedented Bargains.

WE THANK THE MARKET just the right time, and own our stock FULLY TWENTY PER CENT. LESS than if purchased four weeks ago. Our stock of Millinery and Fancy Goods is simply enormous. Remember, we name LOWER PRICES, do better work and give better satisfaction than any other House in Central Ill.

Here Bargains in BLACK SILKS. Inspection earnestly solicited.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

May 11 d&wt

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.
One week, payable to Carrier, \$10.00.
One year, in advance, \$6.00.
Six Months, 3.00.
Three Months, 1.25.

Flags!

We have received an immense stock of FLAGS, of every size, from 3 inches to 6 feet. We will make special prices to committees or parties wanting quantities for Decoration Day. Come and get what you want now. Also a full line of Japanese lanterns.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.
May 2—dlt

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 4, 1881

The Wash Wreck.

Nineteen of Yesterday's Victims Yet at Blue Mound.

Wash Officials Settling with the Injured.

(Special to the REPUBLICAN.)
BLUE MOUND, ILL., May 4, 1881.

The following are the names of persons injured in the wreck yesterday morning who are here yet receiving treatment:

At Dr. J. L. Pratt's residence—Mrs. Sue Samsen, Mrs. Emma Walker and Mrs. Samuel Clayton.
At William Ellis' residence—Jared Van-Vleet.
At Ward House—Conductor Vincent.
At Blue Mound Hotel—Aaron Short, and six children, Dr. Briggs and Mrs. Howard.
At Ward House—J. B. Porterfield.
At David Siderling's residence—Mrs. Peck and two children.
They are getting along nicely. Those worst off are Vincent, Porterfield, Dr. Briggs, Van-Vleet and Mrs. Clayton; but ALL ARE DOING WELL.

And will soon recover. By some means Dr. Pratt's name was not mentioned in the Republican yesterday as one of the Blue Mound physicians. He was among the first on the scene and did good, faithful work; also Dr. Waldron and Harvey. All the Blue Mound doctors did their part nobly; also the citizens generally assisted nobly in the relief of the sufferers.

At about the midnight hour last night, George Livingston, a Wash engineer, returned to his home, on Mason street, and finding George Wishart, a man whom he perhaps took to be a burglar, in his house, he seized the intruder out of the dwelling and then fired two shots at the fleeing form as it disappeared up a dark alley. Supposing that he killed the man, Livingston got a friend to go with him and look for what he believed would be a bloody corpse. The examination was fruitless, as they found nothing but mud and the tracks made by the party who fled. Subsequently it was learned that Wishart had partaken of a lunch on the levee. Police Captain Howes investigated the case, secured the revolver from Livingston, but on the advice of the state's attorney no arrest will be made at present. The sensational episode is neighborhood talk, and what will come of it none can predict at the present time.

Farm House Burnt.
This morning, between eight and nine o'clock, the \$300 dwelling house on the Samuel Garver farm of forty acres, five miles northeast of Decatur, caught fire from a defective fire, and was totally destroyed. Mr. Garver was out in the garden at work when he happened to notice the roof in flames. With the assistance of neighbors he was lucky enough to save the furniture. Only a cook stove was left inside the house. Insured for \$1000 in the Phoenix.

A Double Wedding.
The social event at the office of Judge Greer to-day was a double marriage, all the contracting parties hailing from Shelby county, Ill. The names of those joined in wedlock were Mr. George W. Gordon and Miss Eliza Scribner, and Mr. Irwin V. Deery and Miss Clara E. Campbell. The brides wore the latest styles of summer hats, with white feathers of generous size.

Future of the Creamery.
We learn that the Decatur creamery, which suspended operations because of the low price of butter and the high price demanded by the farmers for cream, is to be leased by the stock company having control of the outfit. Notices of the fact will be published in the Elgin papers. It is expected that some goodman will take hold of the creamery and make what he can out of it. Our farmers want 18 to 20 cents a gauge for cream, (a gauge will make a pound), but creamery butter now commands only 17 to 21 cents a pound in the Chicago markets. If these low prices are maintained all the creameries in the country will have to shut down until there is a boom in the quotations.

OUR MOTTO:
Large Sales and Small Profits.

CARPETS,
WALL-PAPER,
LACE CURTAINS,

Window Materials of every description, Upholstery Goods, Ottomans, Rugs, Mats, Matting and Oil Cloths.

We can show you 300 pieces NEW CARPETS, in Novel and Beautiful Styles, at the LOWEST PRICES.

LINN & SCRUGGS

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Get reserved seats at Curtis & Co's without delay. A number of desirable seats yet remain.

Just a Few.
Below is a partial list of the costumes worn by the ladies at the Little-Gillett wedding.

Miss Nina Gillett wore a white broad-satin with shirred ruff front, duchesse lace, and a bouquet of Marcella Neil roses.

Miss Amy Gillett wore a handsome Watteau costume of coral pink over broad-cad satin, coral necklace and Marcella Neil roses.

Miss Jessie Gillett wore a beautiful Watteau costume of blue Orléans silk over blue satin velvet, with point lace, diamond crescent pin and pink roses.

Miss Bettie Latham wore a white broad-satin trimmed with iridescent pearls, bouquet of roses.

Mrs. J. D. Gillett wore a black embroidered Canton crepe, point lace and amethysts.

Mrs. R. J. Oglesby, a sister of the bride, wore a white silk, point lace and Marguerites.

So a Pair.
Ladies' Misses' and Children's Hose; good value at double the money.

CINAR STRONG.
K. of H.
Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge No. 687, K. of H., this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, O. F. COMMAN, Dictator, Wm. TOWNS, Reporter.

May 17th is the eventful day.

BANKRUPT SALE!

The Bankrupt Stock of the late firm of

DINNEEN & DOYLE

Will be CLOSED OUT AT ONCE, and

Regardless of Cost!

OVERCOATS

AT HALF PRICE,

—AND—

Other Winter Goods in Proportion!

Said stock embraces

BOOTS, SHOES

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods,

HATS, CAPS, and everything carried in a general store. The stock has been purchased at a sacrifice, and will be sold at the purchasers' figures. If you are not now needing anything in the line mentioned, it will pay you to buy and lay away for future use. In any event, call and examine the goods. It will pay you.

J. R. RACE & CO.
Dinneen & Doyle's Old Stand,
EAST ELDORADO ST.
April 4—d&wt

Dry stove wood at George Ehrhart's, 117—dltm

Notice to Land Buyers.

The undersigned, one of the executors of T. O. Smith, expects to be in Decatur by the middle of May, and is desirous of selling the land belonging to said estate, consisting, first, of that FINE PINE CREEK FARM, on

WILLOW BRANCH,
\$5 miles west of Mowquaqua; it contains 640 ACRES, PRAIRIE AND TIMBER. A fine dwelling and two tenant houses, and a fine large bearing orchard. A. O. Smith, Jr., the late owner, has been in the city for some time, and is anxious to sell the land. Also 100 ACRES of CRANED AND TIMBER lands near the West county line and adjoining the land of W. Peck. It is fenced, has a small house, living stock, water, set in blue grass and clover. D. P. Landon, Esq., will show it. Also 7 or 10 LOTS, with small dwelling and small water, situated in the town of Oakley. Also 100 ACRES of CRANED AND TIMBER lands near the West county line and adjoining the land of the J. L. Evans land. I will be in Decatur for a short time, and will be a favorable opportunity to get a bargain in choice real estate. Geo. W. Wright, at the Decatur National Bank, will represent me when absent.

E. O. SMITH, Executor.
San Jose, Cal.—May 1—d&wt

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Swearingin & Hubbard, 117—dltm

Watson the date—May 17th.
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Ice cream made of pure cream \$1.50 a gallon, or 40 cents a quart, price reduced from \$2. Wood Bros.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

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Users further notice our price on 1847 Rogers Bros. knives is \$2.50 a dozen, or \$1.25 a set. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO. "The World" to-morrow evening.

May 17th. 7-3t

"The fair grounds will be lit by electric light."

Adjourned meeting of the city council to-night.

This sort of weather is what gladdens the heart of the farmer.

Another man thinks he can make a "bucket shop" pay in Decatur.

Remember May 17th. 3t

You will be pleased better with the "World" than any performance you have seen this season. Here to-morrow night.

For fine Fishing Tackle go to

W. H. MURPHY.

JOHN BATH, the carpenter, will build a new bath for his own use on West Wood street.

Fresh butter and reliable family groceries at Nucholson's on the mound.

Sold at C. B. Prescott's parlor and select James Bros. pianos and other standard musical instruments.

Fish quotations per pound: Buffalo, 10 cents; croppies, 12½ cents; white fish and trout, 12½ cents; bass and catfish, 12½ cents.

Extensive Summer Silks at the

Curtis Store.

This Decatur Creamery has shut down for the present, will resume business perhaps after awhile.

Lovely lace curtains and wall paper, the latest designs, at Abel & Locke's carpet house.

Day-stove wood at George Ehrhart's, 117—dltm

The Decatur Guards will meet this evening at the court house. Capt. Foster has tendered his resignation, but it has not yet been accepted.

See Warren & Durfee's advertisement on the first page of this paper. 11—dltm

It is proposed to have the fair grounds illuminated by means of the Jannet electric light during the Temperance Campaign, to commence July 1st and continue six days.

SAM LEE, 130 North Water street—making round shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec 11—dly

A day long to be remembered—May 17th, 1881. 7-3t

A large number of the people injured in the Wash wreck yesterday morning, left Blue Mound last night. Only 19 of the 39 remained at the hotels last night at 10 o'clock.

Strawberries, now potatoes, spinach and lettuce at Peter Ullrich's. dlt

STETSON'S HATS, AT THE PARK HAT STORE. merrill—dlt

Two names stood up before McCorrery this morning. They were given a half hour to leave town, and they agreed to take a free bye-bye.

Parties, weddings, &c., supplied with Ice Cream on short notice by Clint Brodeur. merrill—dlt

Only a few days till May 17th. 3t

There were four applicants for examination before the Decatur Pension Board yesterday. One was from Decatur, and the others from Christian county, Champagne and Lincoln.

Wine Goods, Souvenirs, &c., &c., in elegant style, most splendid assortment, and the handsomest in the market. GREAT STORE.

The Universalist ladies will serve supper at their church on Friday evening from 6 to 10 o'clock. Strawberries and ice cream in abundance. An enjoyable time is assured. No admission will be charged.

Dry cord wood at George Ehrhart's, 117—dltm

"The World" Friday night is going fast. You will miss a really fine spectacular treat if you fail to witness this splendid play.

What did you say? May 17th. 3t

Don't miss seeing the "World" with all the scenery, mechanical effects &c. It will pay you.

DUNLAP'S HATS—H. E. FURMAN & CO., SOLE AGENTS. March 11—dlt

What is it? May 17th. 7-3t

PATRONIZE Danks & Patterson, the new grocery on the Whitmer Block, 143 South Water street, and get good groceries, fresh butter and new vegetables every day.

The finest tables in the city at J. R. Howarth's Billiard Parlor, opposite Opera Block. Call there and have a quiet and pleasant game. 6—dltw

MARQUET & NIELKE, 114 Water street, the best place for ice cream, cream lemonade, warm meals and cold lunch. May 6—dltw

An elegant assortment of gents' fine embroidered night shirts at B. Stine's.

What will stop my coughing at night? Barks' White Pine Balsam. 50 cents. "That Husband of Mine," writes a lady, "is three times the man he was before he began to take Barks' White Pine Balsam for his lungs. For sale by H. B. Cole. m6

A LUCKY DAY—May 17th. 7-3t

Accidentally Killed.

A fatal accident occurred this forenoon at 11 o'clock, near the Wash telegraph office, on the South side track. Jerry Campbell, aged 35 years, a single man who has been in the employ of M. K. Carroll for several years, was the victim. Campbell was walking along slowly eastward on the track, and before he could get out of the way, though he received abundant warning, he was struck in the back by a freight car pushed by a Wash switch engine. He fell across the switch rail sprawling, and tried his best to escape, but the wheels caught him near the trunk of the body and he was frightfully mangled, death resulting in a few minutes after he was stricken down. Coroner Bendure took charge of the body, and will hold an inquest at three o'clock this afternoon. The deceased has relatives at Mowquaqua.

Death of Lucius D. Allen.

The news of the death from paralysis of Hon. Lucius D. Allen, at St. Paul, Minn., was received by Mr. E. B. Pratt, in Decatur to-day. The death of Mr. Allen was not unexpected, as news of his dangerous condition was received here yesterday morning. The deceased leaves a young wife and two children. He came to Decatur about twelve years ago from Connecticut. He was a man of intelligence and fine social qualities, generous and public spirited. He served a term in the Connecticut legislature. He left Decatur several years ago for St. Paul, leaving the management of his property here in charge of Mr. E. B. Pratt, whose son, Mr. Eugene Pratt, left last night for St. Paul, to take charge of the remains of the deceased and bring them to Decatur for burial.

PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. J. L. Rice, of Niantic, visited Decatur yesterday.

Fred Kitch, marshal at Mowquaqua, visited the city to-day.

Minnie Hank will sing at Champaign on Monday evening next.

Major Emory, of Mena, left for Hot Springs, Arkansas, this afternoon, to be absent two weeks.

Hon. N. W. Branson, of Petersburg, is a guest at the New Denning. He is here to confer with Hugh Crear, Esq., and other attorneys concerning the Midland middle.

Mrs. Reuben Nims, living northwest of the city, has been quite sick for the past two days, resulting from the bursting of a blood vessel.

Edgar Beach, a cousin of E. B. Pratt, arrived in the city this morning from the east, where he has been with his family. He lives in Kansas and is here for the purpose of buying horses for that market.

Rev. M. H. Moore, Rev. Townsend L. Burrows and W. J. Quintan, are home from Springfield, where they attended the sessions of the Episcopal Synod. Rev. Moore was elected secretary and Rev. Burrows assistant secretary for a year. W. J. Quintan, being called to another parish. He is an active minister and should be kept in Decatur.

A New Church.

The members of the English Lutheran society will build a new church and parsonage this summer on the Deck lot at the old Ricketts corner. One plan is to put up a business block and rent the lower stories to merchants, using the second floor as a place of worship. Another plan is to place up a church building, with a room for the fronting south, leaving the corner vacant for the present. One of these plans will be adopted.

Dick Roberts' men are now at Pana moving a big hotel. They will return soon and move a dwelling for J. E. Kinney and also the Cheeseworth dwelling on West Main street, on the site of which the Drs. Chenoweth will soon put up a double swell front city residence block to cost about \$38,000.

Go to J. C. Williams No. 774 East William street, for fresh groceries, flour, meal, sugar, tea and spices. Canned goods of all kinds cheap as any goods of that class sold in town. Eggs, butter a specialty, toilet soaps and perfumeries in endless variety. Give him a call and examine his prices. m8dlm

Smoke only Sobrader's Bohemian cigars, sold by all leading dealers in the city.

THE REPUBLICAN telephone was kept dancing yesterday sending particulars of the Wash wreck to Springfield, Lincoln and other papers.

Shall the Will of the People be Maintained or Not?

Eps. Representatives.—The citizens of the 1st, 21 and 34 wards elected anti-license aldermen. Prompted and backed by union keeper one or two individuals are trying to thwart the will of the people by the clever use of a few impressible success men. They are not willing to accept the decision of the three wards as expressed through the ballot, but with a degree of arrogance and effrontery that these gentlemen only exhibit when self-interest is the recognized motive, business men and even the aldermen elected by the people of anti-license wards are party and with daring and persistent attempts to gain their influence for the purpose of defeating the will and wishes of the people. This is an insult that should be indignantly rebuked in words and action.

The Jawing Match.

The case of the City of Decatur vs. Mrs. Henrietta Stealy, charged with using obscene language, growing out of a jawing match with her neighbor, Mrs. Mary Day, last week. It will be remembered that Mrs. Day was fined \$3 and costs. The Stealy case was ventilated in Justice Lowry's court, David Hutchinson appearing for the defendant and Thos. Lee for the prosecution. The Justice after hearing the conflicting evidence, discharged the prisoner, whereat Mrs. Day was quite wrathful.

Newcomers.

Messrs. Nauemakor & Christman, publishers of subscription books, have established an office for Central Illinois in Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 in Clifton's new block. The general agent is M. J. Sawyer. We welcome the gentlemen to Decatur.

No audience ever went out of the opera house better pleased than the one which witnessed the "World," when given here in January by the Little Company. The same troupe with all the special scenery, will appear here to-morrow night and the house should be packed.

M. H. F. LUX, of Champaign, has entered suit against Theodore Volmer for slander, laying damages at \$5,000. Volmer is charged with circulating rumors detrimental to Mr. Lux's business. Mr. Volmer is the agent in Champaign of the Schlitz brewing company.

Is the circuit court at Peoria Tuesday Sarah O'Brien obtained a divorce from her husband, Hon. W. W. O'Brien, of Chicago, on the ground of habitual drunkenness. O'Brien appeared, but made no defense.

There will probably be another big turn out at the council meeting to-night. The mayor will make his appointments for the year.

B. Strick is selling a Jonas Pank, well adapted for mechanics and workmen at 50 cents a pair. dlt

One Decatur teacher I know of has a class of pupils which is overwhelmingly Republican in sentiment. The other day this teacher asked those of her pupils who were Republicans to hold up their hands, and 29 were lifted. Only one hand representing the Democracy went up.

Mr. Morgan and Charles E. Smith, are the names of those two young men wearing plug hats and riding about the streets every day in a red jump cart. Both are members of Prof. Will Smith's bell ringing concert company, whose members are enjoying a vacation. Charles Smith was dangerously ill in February last, and is now unable to use either his hands or feet, and Mr. Morgan is here to give him necessary out-door exercise, hoping that he will finally recover the use of his limbs. Mr. and Mrs. Adams, also members of the company, are here, as is also the "Fairy Queen" of the troupe, who is 25 years old and only 2½ feet high, said to be the smallest woman in the country. All are stopping at the home of the Professor north of the city.

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Miss Nina Gillett wore a white broad-satin with shirred ruff front, duchesse lace, and a bouquet of Marcella Neil roses.

Miss Amy Gillett wore a handsome Watteau costume of coral pink over broad-cad satin, coral necklace and Marcella Neil roses.

Miss Jessie Gillett wore a beautiful Watteau costume of blue Orléans silk over blue satin velvet, with point lace, diamond crescent pin and pink roses.

Miss Bettie Latham wore a white broad-satin trimmed with iridescent pearls, bouquet of roses.

Mrs. J. D. Gillett wore a black embroidered Canton crepe, point lace and amethysts.

Mrs. R. J. Oglesby, a sister of the bride, wore a white silk, point lace and Marguerites.

So a Pair.
Ladies' Misses' and Children's Hose; good value at double the money.

CINAR STRONG.
K. of H.
Regular meeting of Decatur Lodge No. 687, K. of H., this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, O. F. COMMAN, Dictator, Wm. TOWNS, Reporter.

May 17th is the eventful day.

BANKRUPT SALE!

The Bankrupt Stock of the late firm of

DINNEEN & DOYLE

Will be CLOSED OUT AT ONCE, and

Regardless of Cost!

OVERCOATS

AT HALF PRICE,

—AND—

Other Winter Goods in Proportion!

Said stock embraces

BOOTS, SHOES

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods,

HATS, CAPS, and everything carried in a general store. The stock has been purchased at a sacrifice, and will be sold at the purchasers' figures. If you are not now needing anything in the line mentioned, it will pay you to buy and lay away for future use. In any event, call and examine the goods. It will pay you.

J. R. RACE & CO.
Dinneen & Doyle's Old Stand,
EAST ELDORADO ST.
April 4—d&wt

Dry stove wood at George Ehrhart's, 117—dltm

Notice to Land Buyers.

The undersigned, one of the executors of T. O. Smith, expects to be in Decatur by the middle of May, and is desirous of selling the land belonging to said estate, consisting, first, of that FINE PINE CREEK FARM, on

WILLOW BRANCH,
\$5 miles west of Mowquaqua; it contains 640 ACRES, PRAIRIE AND TIMBER. A fine dwelling and two tenant houses, and a fine large bearing orchard. A. O. Smith, Jr., the late owner, has been in the city for some time, and is anxious to sell the land. Also 100 ACRES of CRANED AND TIMBER lands near the West county line and adjoining the land of W. Peck. It is fenced, has a small house, living stock, water, set in blue grass and clover. D. P. Landon, Esq., will show it. Also 7 or 10 LOTS, with small dwelling and small water, situated in the town of Oakley. Also 100 ACRES of CRANED AND TIMBER lands near the West county line and adjoining the land of the J. L. Evans land. I will be in Decatur for a short time, and will be a favorable opportunity to get a bargain in choice real estate. Geo. W. Wright, at the Decatur National Bank, will represent me when absent.

E. O. SMITH, Executor.
San Jose, Cal.—May 1—d&wt

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The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Swearingin & Hubbard, 117—dltm

Watson the date—May 17th.
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